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In order to be able to carry out the power program of the DDR in the near future, the Central Committee of the SED requested the Central Committee of the CPSU, late in July 1952, to speed up deliveries of pipe from the Soviet Union.

2. At Moscow's request, the technical director of VTB ZKh. (fnu) Kirste went to Russia and arranged for a total of 6,074 tons of pipe to be imported to the GDR in the course of 1962. 800 tons had been delivered.

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<u>Factory</u>	<u>Measurements</u> <u>(in millimeters)</u>	<u>Need</u> <u>(in tons)</u>	<u>Allotted Amount</u> <u>(in tons)</u>
KKK - Pinow	51 x 2.5	0.300 tons	0.300 tons
KKK - Bitterfeld	89 x 3.25	9,940 tons	9,940 tons
KKK - Pinow	89 x 3.25	4,420 tons	4,420 tons
KKK - Bitterfeld	108 x 3.75	25,570 tons	5,000 tons
KKK - Pinow	108 x 3.75	17,670 tons	5,000 tons
KKK - Bitterfeld	133 x 4	29,600 tons	4,000 tons
KKK - Esfurt	133 x 4	0.400 tons	0.400 tons
KKK - Turbine Dresden	133 x 4	0.400 tons	0.400 tons
KKK - Pinow	133 x 4	1,800 tons	1,800 tons
KKK - Gschlitz	159 x 4.5	0.250 tons	0.250 tons
KKK - Bitterfeld	159 x 4.5	21,750 tons	6,000 tons
KKK - Pinow	83 x 3.25	0.210 tons	0.210 tons
KKK - Meerane	191 x 4.5	1,000 tons	1,000 tons

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